DEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the True-Up of Union Electric)	
Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's Fuel)	
Adjustment Clause for the 34th Recovery Period)	File No. EO-2022-0027
In the Matter of the Adjustment of Union)	
Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri's)	File No. ER-2022-0026
Fuel Adjustment Clause for the 37 th)	Tracking No. YE-2022-0025
)	

STAFF RECOMMENDATION AND MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through counsel, and for its *Staff Recommendation*, states as follows:

- 1. On September 1, the Commission granted a waiver of the time limits in 20 CSR 4240-20.090(8)(F), (8)(G), 9(D), and (9)(E) and ordered Staff to file its recommendation in these cases no later than September 3, 2021.
- 2. Due to ongoing settlement talks with Union Electric Company d/b/a Ameren Missouri, Staff requested extensions to file its recommendation on August, 27, 2021 and September 3, 2021.
- 3. On September 8, 2021, Ameren Missouri filed a Stipulation and Agreement between itself and Staff. Ameren Missouri also filed a proposed tariff: 4th Revised Sheet No. 71.15, Cancelling 3rd Revised Sheet No. 71.15.
- 4. Staff has had extensive discussions regarding this settlement with Ameren Missouri. The Office of Public Counsel ("OPC") was not a part of discussions regarding this recommendation, but Staff has had discussions with OPC concerning the bitcoin issue.

- 5. As detailed in the attached memorandums, Staff recommends that the Commission approve the Stipulation and Agreement and proposed tariff sheet.
- 6. Staff requests that the Commission shorten the time for responses to the Stipulation and Agreement, consistent with Rule 20 CSR 4240-2.080(13)-(14), so that an Order may be issued in this case by September 15, 2021.

WHEREFORE, Staff respectfully requests that the Commission will approve the Stipulation and Agreement and proposed tariff sheet; and such other and further relief as the Commission deems just in these circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record on this 8th day of September, 2021.

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